REQUEST FORM FOR APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

DOCKET NUMBER: 61352-073

Prior Application:

Art Unit:

2871

Examiner:

Dung T. Nguyen

BOX FEE Mail Stop Patent Application Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for filing a Divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of pending prior application

Serial No. 10/130,109, filed on May 15, 2002, entitled LIQUID CRYSTAL SCREEN DISPLAY, by the following named inventors: Ichiro SATO, Katsuhiko KUMAGAWA, Kazuo INOUE, Kazuhiro NISHIYAMA.

- 1. I hereby state that the enclosed application contains no new matter.
- 2. Oath or Declaration
 - a. Newly executed (original or copy)
 - b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
 - i. Deletion of inventor(s)

Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

- 3. Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 2b is checked)

 The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 2b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
- 4. Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- 5. An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO1449 Form are submitted herewith.
- 6. Cancel claims 1-24.

7. The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended at 4 and 6 above:

		NO. OF		EXTRA		·
		CLAIMS		CLAIMS	RATE	AMOUNT
Total Claims		4	-20	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims		1 .	-3	0	\$86.00 =	\$0.00
Basic Application Fee						\$770.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$0.00						\$0.00
Total Application Fee						\$770.00
Subtract ½ if small entity						\$0.00
TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE						\$770.00
	AMOUNT	TO BE CHARC	ED TO DEP	OSIT ACCOU	NT NO. 500417	\$770.00
7a. 🔲	Enclosed is a Verified Statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.					
7b. 🗌	A verified Statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27 was filed in prior application and such status is still proper and desired.					
8a. 🛛	PLEASE CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT 500417 in the amount of \$770.00					
8b. 🛚	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any extension of time fees to maintain the pendency of the parent application Service. 10/130,109 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.					
9. 🛛	Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:					
371 of <u>PC</u>	This application <u>Γ/JP01/07473</u> , filed <u>Α</u>			Serial No. <u>10/130</u>),109 filed <u>May 15</u>	, 2002, which is a
10. 🛛	Priority of Application Serial No. <u>2000-261675</u> filed on <u>August 30, 2000</u> and Application Serial No. <u>2000-267770</u> , filed <u>September 4, 2000</u> , in <u>Japan</u> is claimed under 35 USC 119.					
11. 🛛	The prior application is assigned of record to					
	М	ATSUSHITA E	LECTRIC IN Osaka, Jap		O., LTD.	
12. 🛛	The power of attorney in the prior application is to:					
		Mc	Dermott, Will	& Emery		
13. 🔲	Also enclosed:					

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14. A petition, fee and response has been filed to extend the term in the pending prior application until.

Address all future communications to: (May only be completed by applicant, or attorney or agent of record)

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Respectfully submitted,

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